CUSTOM RATES SURVEY

LAND CLEARING AND BREAKING OPERATIONS

1984

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PREFACE

The Custom Rate Survey is conducted for Alberta Agriculture as a cooperative effort involving the Department Statistics Branch and Farm Business Management Branch.

The data presented in this report was obtained by contacting custom operators and dealers and thus represent actual charges. Please note that some instances may be GNR (Good Neighbor Rates) as opposed to CR (Commercial Rates). The reader should be aware that varying conditions in different areas of the province can significantly affect the rates charged.

The intent of the survey is to provide producers with additional information to help with their farm management decisions. The quality of data is dependent on the cooperation received by producers as well as commercial custom operators. We would like to thank all those who were so willing in helping to provide information. If you are involved in any custom operations and have not been contacted but wish to contribute please call the following numbers or contact your local District Agriculturist.

Alberta Agriculture
Statistics Branch
Edmonton, Alberta
403-427-4018

Alberta Agriculture
Farm Business Management Branch
Olds, Alberta
403-556-4240

LEGEND

● Regional Offices

Region 1 - Lethbridge
2 - Airdrie
3 - Red Deer
4 - Vermilion
5 - Barrhead
6 - Fairview

★ Edmonton
Calgary

LAND CLEARING OPERATIONS 1984

REGION	COUNTY	OPERATION	EQUIPMENT	CUSTOM COST	TRANSPORT INC?	NOTES
2	17	BP	D8 CAT 225HP	$128/AC	Y	1.5AC/HR
2	17	R	D8 CAT 225HP	$38/AC	Y	5AC/HR
2	17	BP	D8 CAT	$120/AC	Y	2/3AC/HR
2	17	BP	D8 CAT	$80/HR	Y	2/3AC/HR
2	17	BP	D7E CAT	$70/HR	Y	1/2AC/HR
2	MD48	BP	D8 CAT	$135/AC	1WAY	1/2AC/HR
2	MD48	BP	D8 CAT	$80/HR	Y	1/2AC/HR
2	MD48	D	D8 CAT	$90/HR	Y	DUGOUTS
3	6	BP	D7 CAT	$90/HR	N	1/2AC/HR
3	6	D	D7 CAT	$90/HR	N	1/2AC/HR
3	6	BP	D7 CAT	$130/AC	Y	1/2AC/HR
3	6	BP	D7 CAT	$75/HR	Y	1/2AC/HR
3	6	D	D7 CAT	$75/HR	Y	1/2AC/HR
3	22	BP	D7 CAT	$50/HR	Y	1/2AC/HR
3	22	BP	D7 17A CAT	$50/HR	Y	1/2AC/HR
3	23	BP	D7 CAT	$96/AC	1WAY	4/5AC/HR SMALL BRUSH
3	23	BP	D7 CAT	$74/HR	Y	4/5AC/HR SMALL BRUSH
3	23	BP	D8 CAT	$128/AC	1WAY	2/3AC/HR HEAVY BRUSH
3	23	BP	D8 CAT	$85/HR	Y	2/3AC/HR HEAVY BRUSH
3	23	D	D7 CAT	$88/HR	Y	DUGOUTS
3	23	D	D8 CAT	$101/HR	Y	DUGOUTS
3	23	RR	D7 CAT, 12'RAKE	$82/HR	Y	1 AC/HR
3	29	BP	D7 CAT	$65/HR	Y	1/2AC/HR
4	19	BP	D7G CAT	$100/AC	N	3/4AC/HR
4	19	BP	D7G CAT	$75/HR	N	3/4AC/HR
4	24	BP	D6E KOMATSU CAT	$100/AC	N	1/2AC/HR
4	24	BP	D6E KOMATSU CAT	$55/HR	Y	1/2AC/HR
4	24	D	D6E KOMATSU CAT	$65/HR	N	DUGOUTS
5	7	BP	D7E CAT	$95/AC	N	3/4AC/HR
5	7	BP	D7E CAT	$65/HR	N	3/4AC/HR
5	11	R	D7G CAT	$9/AC	1WAY	7AC/HR
5	11	R	D7G CAT	$68/HR	Y	7AC/HR
5	11	BP	D7G CAT	$100/AC	1WAY	2/3AC/HR
5	11	BP	D7G CAT	$68/HR	Y	2/3AC/HR
5	11	BP	D8H CAT	$78/HR	1WAY	3/4AC/HR
5	11	BP	D7E CAT	$110/AC	1WAY	1/2AC/HR
5	11	BP	D7E CAT	$60/HR	Y	1/2AC/HR
5	11	D	D7E CAT	$67/HR	Y	DUGOUTS
5	11	D	D7E	$120/AC	1WAY	1/2AC/HR
5	31	BP	16B FIAT 220HP	$75/HR	Y	3/4AC/HR
5	31	BP	D7 CAT	$100/AC	N	3/4AC/HR
5	ID14	BP	D6 CAT	$103/AC	N	2/3AC/HR
5	ID14	BP	D6 CAT	$65/HR	N	2/3AC/HR
6	ID21	BP	D6C CAT	$98/AC	Y	3/4AC/HR
6	ID21	BP	D6C CAT	$55/HR	Y	3/4AC/HR
6	ID23	BP	D8K CAT	$100/AC	Y	1AC/HR
6	ID23	RR	JD90HP, 11'RAKE	$15/AC	Y	3.5AC/HR

LEGEND

OPERATION

BP - BRUSHING AND PILING
R - REPILING
D - RIPPING
RR - ROOT RAKING

TRANSPORT INC?

Y - YES
N - NO

LAND BREAKING OPERATIONS 1984

REGION	COUNTY	OPERATION	POWERUNIT	IMPLEMENT	RATE AC/HR	CUSTOMCOST*	NOTES
1	8	DISC		12' SOVEREIGN DISC		$7/AC	RENTAL;W/PACKERS
1	8	DISC		14' SOVEREIGN DISC		$7/AC	RENTAL;W/PACKERS
1	ID1	CULT	4WD JD 8440 175HP	16' COOP CULT	6	$13/AC	
2	17	PLOW	4WD JD 8450 210HP	7BOTTOM×18 KVERNELAND PLOW	2	$19/AC	
2	17	DISC	4WD JD 8450 210HP	25' HUTCHMASTER HVY DUTY	5	$6.50/AC	
2	17	RAKE	4WD IHC 186 135HP	20' ROCKOMATIC RAKE		$59/HR	
2	17	PICK	4WD IHC 186 135HP	5'ANDERSON HI-LIFT PICKER		$55/HR	
2	CALGA	ROTO	4WD CASE 2670 225HP	10' ROTOCLEAR ROTOTILL	1	$110/AC	BUSHLAND
3	3	DISC	4WD CASE 2470 175HP	8' KELLO DISC	3	$50/HR	
3	29	DISC	4WD JD 8630 225HP	12' KELLO 350 DISC	4	$65/HR	
3	29	DISC	4WD JD 8850 176HP	12' KELLO 450 DISC	2	$60/HR	
4	19	DISC	4WD FORD SW44 295HP	10' KELLO 500 DISC	4	$20/AC	
4	19	DISC	4WD FORD SW44 295HP	10' KELLO 500 DISC	5	$85/HR	
4	24	DISC	D60 CAT 145HP	10' ROME DOUBLE DISC	2	$65/HR	
4	24	DUGO	D60 CAT 145HP			$55/HR	DUGOUTS
5	11	DISC	D8H CAT	10' ROME 550 DISC	4	$78/HR	
5	11	DISC	D8H CAT	10' ROME 550 DISC	4	$30/AC	2 PASSES
5	25	DISC	4WD VERS 850 270HP	12' KELLO 350 DISC	3	$75/HR	
5	31	DISC	FIAT 16B 220HP	10' KELLO 450 DISC	3.5	$75/HR	
5	31	DISC	D8H CAT 270HP	9.5' ROME TXH DISC	3.5	$30/AC	
6	ID21	PLOW	D6C CAT	2BOTTOM×24 BREAK PLOW	1.5	$55/HR	
6	ID21	DRAI	D6C CAT			$55/HR	DRAINAGE -
6	ID23	CULT	2WD JD 4020 90HP	12' JD 1600 CHISPLOW	4	$12/AC	AFTER PLOWING
6	ID23	CULT	2WD VERS 145 150HP	14' JD 1600 CHISPLOW	4	$12/AC	AFTER PLOWING
6	ID23	PLOW	2WD VERS 145 150HP	1BOTTOM×38 DIKA BREAK PLOW	1.5	$48/AC	
6	ID23	DISC	4WD BLAIRE 7010 270HP	12' ROME HVY DUTY DISC	3	$20/AC	1ST PASS
6	ID23	DISC	4WD BLAIRE 7010 270HP	12' ROME HVY DUTY DISC	4	$18/AC	2ND PASS

* CUSTOMCOSTS ARE BASED ON 1 PASS ALTHOUGH IS SEVERAL INSTANCES MORE THAN 1 PASS IS REQUIRED.

ROTO - ROTOTILLING DISC - DISCING CULT - CULTIVATING PLOW - PLOWING RAKE - ROCK RAKING PICK - ROCK PICKING

DUGO - DUGOUTS DRAI - DRAINAGE

POOR

QUALITY

ORIGINAL